

Please substitute claims 4 - 10 with amended claims 4 - 10.

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4. Preparation according to claim 1, characterized in that further cosmetic or pharmaceutical auxiliaries, additives and/or active ingredients are present.
 5. Preparation according to claim 1 or 4, characterized in that the content of modified phyllosilicate pigment particles used is between 0.1% by weight and 30% by weight, based on the total weight of the preparations.
 6. Preparation according to claim 1 or 4, characterized in that the modified phyllosilicate pigment particle(s) is/are chosen from the group which includes modified smectites, modified bentonites, modified montmorillonites and modified hectorites.
 7. Preparation according to claim 1 or 4, characterized in that, in addition to one or more modified phyllosilicate pigment particle(s), (a) further pigment(s) are present which are selected from the group consisting of modified polysaccharide, microfine polymer particles, boron nitride and micronized, inorganic pigments where the pigments can be present either individually or in a mixture.
 8. Preparation according to claim 1 or 4, characterized in that it is in the form of a make-up and/or cosmetic stick, and additionally comprises at least one dye and/or one color pigment.
 9. Preparation according to claim 1 or 4, characterized in that it comprises one or more additives or active ingredients selected from the group consisting of astringents, antioxidants, UV filter substances, antimicrobial substances and substances effective against acne.
 10. Method for the preparation of Pickering emulsion sticks, characterized in that modified phyllosilicate pigment particles are dispersed in the oil phase, which comprises from 10 to 70% by weight, based on the weight of the oil phase, of fatty and/or wax components which melt above a temperature of 40°C, and, optionally, cosmetic or pharmaceutical auxiliaries, additives and/or active ingredients, with uniform stirring and optionally with heating, and, during the uniform stirring, the water phase, which, optionally comprises cosmetic or pharmaceutical auxiliaries, additives and/or active ingredients, is mixed with the oil phase.

Please add new claims 11 - 14.

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Preparation according to claim 6, characterized in that the modified phyllosilicate pigment particle(s) is/are a modified hectorite selected from the group consisting of stearalkonium hectorite and quaternium-18 hectorite.

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Preparation according to claim 7, wherein the micronized, inorganic pigments is/are an amphiphilic metal oxide(s).

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Preparation according to claim ~~12~~¹³, wherein the amphiphilic metal oxide(s) are selected from the group consisting of titanium dioxide, zinc oxide, iron oxides or iron mixed oxides, silicon dioxide or silicates.

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Preparation according to claim 8, characterized in that the make-up and/or cosmetic stick form is selected from the group consisting of eyebrow pencil, kohl pencil, eyeshadow pencil, eyeliner pencil, concealer stick, powder stick, decorative stick and care lipstick.

CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

If entry and consideration of the amendments above requires an extension of time, Applicants respectfully request that this be considered a petition therefor. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee(s) due in this connection to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

ADDITIONAL FEE

Please charge any insufficiency of fees, or credit any excess, to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

REMARKS

Claims 1 and 4-10 have been amended and claims 11-14 have been added. Claims 1-14 are now pending. It is believed that no new matter has been added.